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## A PARAMOUNT-BURTON HOLMES TRAVEL PICTURE

"Present- Day Prague" is the subject of the Paramount-Burton Holmes release for April 24th. Trague was the capital of the Kingdom of Behemia until the establishment of the Republic of Czecho-Slovakia, when Prague naturally took its place as the seat of the new Government. Prague has been famous for centuries as one of the most picturesque of Central European cities. The superb Cathedral of St. Vitus and the noble palace of the Hradsany loom high above the old town on the bank of the River Vitafa, (better known by its former German name of Holdan). The Vitava is speaned by splendid bridges- notable amongst them the Charles Bridge with its host of heroic statues and groups of sculpture and its impressive medieval towers. Pictures of the Tyn Church, the great clock of the Town Hall, John Russ monument, the Ruseum, the Natural Theatre and the leading thoroughfares round out a very comprehensive record of the city's chief sights. The arrival of the brave Czecho-Slovak twoops returning from Siberia and welcomed by enthusiastic crowds wearing the wonderfully varied and colorful costumes of the various provinces, offers

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